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OUTLINES.

Practically all of New Orleans South of Canal street is now infected with yellow fever; up to 6 P. M. yesterday the total number of cases since July 13th were 1,018, and 166 deaths; there were 55 new cases and 12 deaths yesterday——The Ruso-Japanese peace convention at Portsmouth yesterday agreed to three articles of the Japanese terms, but the tug of war will come to-day when the clause demanding the cession of the Island of Sakhalin will be reached; it is believed that Witte will reject that clause and then will come the rupture; it is announced from St. Petersburg that no peace agreemen is believed possible and reinforcements are being sent to the seat of war——The latest news from Manchuria is that a great battle is imminent, as the Chinese are getting out of the way of the Japanese and Russian armies——At West Park, N. J., yesterday Dr. Crum, Charleston's negro collector of port, created a stir by demanding the service of a white servant——Near Bennington, Vt., yesterday a train smashed an automobile, killing a lady and gentleman—An active volcano flowing a stream of hot lava has been discovered in Humboldt county, Nevada——There is a big scandal in the internal revenue service at Washington, four well known revenue agents having been asked to resign—

Former Statistician John Hyde of the Agricultural Department writes from England that he will return to testify in the cotton leak case, but his letter is curiously indefinite——Chairman Shonts has returned from the Panama canal and states that the first thing to be done is to house 20,000 employes; he reports very little yellow fever——At Kishman, O., Sunday morning 12 people were killed in a railroad collision, and near Macon, Ga., yesterday two were killed and seven injured in a head-on crash of two trains——New York markets: Money on call easy, 1 1-2 to 2 per cent, closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4; spot cotton quiet 10.55; flour dull and easy; wheat barely steady, No. 2 red 86 1-8 elevator; corn easy, No. 2 61 elevator; oats easy, mixed 30 to 30 1-2; turpentine steady 63 1-2 to 64, rosin quiet.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,
Weather Bureau,
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 14, 1905.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M. yesterday.

Temperature at 8 A. M., 73 degrees; 8 P. M., 80 degrees; Maximum, 86 degrees; Minimum, 72 degrees; Mean, 79 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .30; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 2.46.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., today (Monday) 35 feet and falling. Maximum depth during freshet 42 feet Saturday P. M.

PORT ALMANAC—Aug. 15.

Sun Rises .....5:18 A. M.
Sun Sets .....6:50 P. M.
Day's Length .....13 hrs. 36 min.
High Water at Southport.8:17 A. M.
High Water at Wilmington.10:47 A. M.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Showers Tuesday and probably Wednesday; light to fresh south winds.

The Button Trust has been sold out by a receiver. The trust might have known it would have gotten into a hole of it tried to corner buttons.

A correspondent of the Charlotte Observer fires this query at the bug editor: "Do a doodle do?" Well, we don't know about that. But we do know that a "cock-a-doodle-do."

If any Alderman thinks the voters of his Ward would sustain him in upholding the so-called "blue law," let him vote to continue that law and then go before his constituents for re-election.

Mr. Witte tried to say some words of greeting in French to Baron Komura, but Komura had forgotten how to speak French. However, we notice that Komura knows how to keep silent in all languages.

When a party nominates objectionable men for office the voters are reminded that it is "measures not men" that is important. However, after objectionable men get elected it is the hardest thing in the world to get them in a position where their measures can be taken for a striped suit.

Says the Durham Sun: "In keeping his mouth shut and allowing the other fellow to do the talking Spencer Blackburn is displaying rare political sagacity." It is most likely that Spence hasn't got anything to say.

Says the Charlotte Observer: "Senator Tillman is quoted in an interview as saying that most of the witnesses in the dispensary investigation seemed to be disappointed officeseekers. That is indeed a poor argument for a man of Mr. Tillman's ability to make use of in the light of the rottenness uncovered." An argument is an appeal to reason and that is not Senator Tillman's long suit.

Every one spends the evening at Lumina. au 15-5t**

NO YELLOW JACK IN ATLANTA

Alarming Report Which Reached the Mayor Yesterday—Vigorous Denial By Chief Executive.

An alarming report reached Mayor Waddell yesterday that there were five or six cases of yellow jack in Atlanta and for obvious reasons the fact was being suppressed by the authorities and newspapers of the Gate City. Immediately the Mayor issued orders that the quarantine guards on the several trains entering Wilmington permit no passenger from Atlanta to enter this city, either with or without health certificates, until the Mayor of the Georgia metropolis could be heard from in reply to a telegram sent by Mayor Waddell demanding to know the true status of affairs there. At 6 o'clock Mayor J. G. Woodward, of Atlanta, called up over the long distance 'phone and vigorously entered a denial of the report, saying there was not a case of yellow fever, nor a suspicious case, in his city; that the authorities there had nothing to conceal and would promptly notify the outside world of any possible outbreak. Dr. C. P. Wertenbaker, so well and favorably known to Wilmington people, is in charge of the U. S. Marine and Health Service in Atlanta, and has been in communication with Mayor Waddell relative to the situation.

The report of yellow fever in Atlanta probably originated in a sensational report published in a New York paper, purporting to be upon information in a letter from an Atlanta physician to a friend in New York, who was advised that yellow fever was being concealed by the authorities in Atlanta. Mayor Woodward denounced the report in Saturday's Atlanta papers as maliciously false and called upon the New York paper for the name of its informant for the purpose of prosecution. In the same columns were cards from the city health officer and from Dr. Wertenbaker strenuously denying the presence of the disease in the Gate City. It was refreshing news for Wilmington people yesterday that there was no truth in the sensational reports which reached the Mayor upon which he so wisely and so vigorously took action.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Other local on fourth page

—The regular circulation of The Morning Star is larger than at any time since the paper was established, in 1867.

—Deputy Sheriff Wade was able to be down town again yesterday and insisted upon returning to work as officer for Justice Bornemann. He served several papers for the court during the day.

—The six leading scores on the Boys' Brigade Bowling alley last week were: C. Loughin and Percy Hall, 183 (a tie); Tony Hergenrother, 167; G. Kelson Young, 164; W. C. Benson, 162; Sam Brittian, 153.

—Messrs. William Hearing and S. Bond, of the McCay Engineering Co., of Baltimore, were here yesterday on their way to Fort Caswell to wire the new gymnasium at the army post there for electric lights.

—By deed filed for record yesterday Thos. P. Bagley transferred to Sallie L. McIntire, for $800, property at northwest corner of Ninth and Ann streets, 110 feet on Ninth and 41 1-4 feet on Ann street.

—The children from the Odd Fellows' Home at Goldsboro will arrive this morning. The plans for their entertainment and a list of homes where they will be entertained was published in Sunday's Star.

—Between rifts of the clouds early last night a partial eclipse of the moon was discernible. The attention of the Star force was called to the obscuration by its observant friend, Mr. William Niestlie, the druggist.

—A cablegram to Mr. M. Cronly yesterday, from his brother, Capt. D. T. Cronly, notes the safe arrival of the latter at Liverpool. He is on a European trip and his friends hope for him a delightful sojourn "across the water" and a safe return.

—Nettie Crawford, colored, had Bessie McFadden, also colored, arrested yesterday for having stolen a lot of household goods from her. Justice Bornemann held the McFadden woman for the Superior Court under bond of $100, which was given.

—If you "want" something, "want" to sell something, "want" to buy or exchange anything, use the Business Locals column of The Morning Star. Only costs one cent a word; but no advertisement accepted for less than 25 cents. Terms, cash in advance.

—In order to avoid a little trouble in the courts, Preston Evans, colored, produced a license and was married to Ida Bordeaux, colored, by Justice Bornemann yesterday. Both are rather prominent colored people and the judicial ceremony attracted a rather large crowd.

—Justice Bornemann yesterday sent Rudolph Grosling to jail in default of $200 bond for his appearance in the Superior Court to answer the charge of abandonment and non-support of his wife Mary Grosling. There were some aggravated circumstances in connection with the case, hence the heavy bond.

—Knights excursion to Newbern returned to the city at 2:15 o'clock this morning. The train consisted of 16 coaches, which were filled upon reaching Newbern at 1:45 P. M., a delay having been caused by the breaking of the bumpers between two coaches at Folkstone on the trip going.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Adolph G. Ahrens—Drugs.
Wilmington Lodge, A. F. & A. M.—Meeting.

Business Locals.

M. C. Darby & Co.—Lot for Sale.

The most popular place in the South is gay Lumina. au 15-5t**

Every one enjoys the dancing at Lumina. au 15-5t**

CITY WATER WORKS

Resolution Looking to Municipal Ownership Adopted By Aldermen Yesterday

THE VOTE WAS UNANIMOUS

Mayor and Others Favored Including Sewerage System Also—Election of Sub-Policemen—Sanitary Condition of City.

The Board of Aldermen at a special, called meeting yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock unanimously adopted the resolution appended to Alderman Johnson's proposition for the municipal ownership of a water works plant, the proposition having been submitted at the last regular meeting of the Board, and continued at the request of Alderman Johnson for full consideration at the special meeting yesterday afternoon. By amendment of Alderman W. H. Yopp the amount of bonds proposed to be issued to meet the cost of such a plant was made "$150,000 or as much more as is necessary," instead of a flat $150,000 as stated in the original resolution. The plan as adopted contemplates the issuance of the bonds at 5 per cent. per annum to run for 20 years and carries with it at the outset an appropriation of $1,000, the Board of Audit and Finance concurring, in order that the proper surveys and preliminary steps may be taken to push forward the enterprise. It also provides that the preliminaries be taken up at once in order that work on the plant may begin not later than November, so that the system may be completed by July 1st next year.

Mayor Waddell and all members of the Board were present when the meeting was called to order, except Alderman O'Brien, who is absent from the city. There were also present City Attorney Marsden Bellamy, City Engineer P. Matthew, City Clerk and Treasurer John J. Fowler and about 50 spectators, many of whom came to see what the Aldermen were going to do about a repeal of the Sunday blue laws. None of the Clarendon Water Works people was present. The Mayor stated the onject of the special session to be that of receiving the report of the Police Committee as to the election of Sub-Policemen C. G. Jones and John R. Sneeden, which was deferred from the regular meeting upon objection of Alderman Johnson, and to consider the water proposition as submitted by the standing committee on water works.

Chairman Karr, of the Police Committee, said that all objection to the election of Messrs. Sneeden and Jones as substitutes on the force had been withdrawn and they were unanimously elected with the exception of Alderman W. H. Yopp, who explained his single vote in the negative.

The water works proposition then came up and City Attorney Bellamy was asked for an opinion as to the legality of the proposition to issue bonds without first submitting the question to a vote of the people. Mr. Bellamy held that the city could issue bonds to create a fund for the establishment of a water works plant, a public necessity, unless the charter of the city or some act of the General Assembly provides that such issues be submitted to a popular vote. The attorney knew of no such provision in the charter or act of the Legislature and thought the city could go ahead. Cases of Fawcett vs. Mt. Airy, 134 N. C. 125 and approval in Davis vs. Fremont, 135 N. C. 538, were cited by Mr. Bellamy in support of his position.

Mayor Waddell, prefacing the question with the statement that he had for years contended that the city should own not only its water works but sewerage plant, asked Mr. Bellamy if the cases cited did not apply to towns where there were no water works or electric plants at the time the question arose. Mr. Bellamy thought it would make no difference as the plant here is not owned by the city. The Mayor also asked if the bond issue was to be considered irrespective of the constitutional tax limit of 10 cents on the assessed valuation of $100. Mr. Bellamy explained this and said he thought there would be no trouble on that score. The Mayor took occasion to say that by asking the question he meant in no way to hinder or block the proposition, but he presumed members of the Board desired to proceed only with all the light on the subject possible to obtain.

Mr. Johnson presented a roll of petitions that had been left at the drug stores for signatures and favoring his proposition; also another that had been carried around among the most representative business people by Mr. T. W. Wood, who was present. Mr. Johnson said the petitions all together contained about 500 names. Mr. Johnson asked and was granted leave for Mr. Wood to speak. Mr. Wood said the names on the petition he carried around represented several million dollars of real estate, and that the signers heartily endorsed the municipal ownership idea as embodied in Alderman Johnson's plan and that many of those approached suggested also that the city own its own sewerage system. He said he found among the signers much opposition to a purchase of the present system of water works except at a greatly reduced price.

Mayor Waddell said it was an absolute absurdity to own a water works plant without sewerage. He hoped that when the question of water works is taken up in the preliminary survey that the question of sewerage will also be considered. Mr. Johnson then made a motion to adopt the resolution saying::

"Mr. Chairman: I do not deem it necessary to make any extended remarks upon the question of municipal ownership of a water works system by the City of Wilmington, as it is apparent to every thinking and unprejudiced mind that better water is a necessity and that in order to get this, the city will have to furnish it, as we have tried for 23 years to get it from a private corporation, but without success and it seems that patience has ceased to be a virtue in this case. The people are now asking this Board of Aldermen in thunder tones calling for relief so it seems to me that our duty is plain. We do not want a compromise on this matter. Let us settle the matter once and for all by adopting municipal ownership of the water works plant. And when this matfirst class system of sewerage as the water and sewerage can be worked together to an advantage. Private corporations should not be allowed to usurp the city in running these important utilities."

Mr. Karr thought the Board should not go into the question blindly; perhaps it would be well to employ an expert. The Mayor replied to Mr. Karr that it was only preliminaries being taken up for the present; the details would be looked after later.

The clerk then read the resolution of Mr. Johnson as follows:

1.—That the City of Wilmington issue $150,000 in Bonds at not exceeding 5 per cent per annum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, the same to run for 20 years; the proceeds of said bonds to be applied to the establishment of a water works plant for the city.

2.—That this Board hereby appropriate the sum of $1,000, the Board of Audit concurring, in order that the proper surveys and preliminary steps may be taken to push forward this enterprise.

3.—That the preliminary work be taken up at the earliest opportunity, in order that the work of construction can begin not later than November, in order that the system may be completed by July 1, 1906.

Alderman W. H. Yopp made an amendment, which was accepted by Mr. Johnson, that the amount be "$150,000 or as much more as is necessary." The resolution was then unanimously adopted.

Mr. Chas. McMillen, architect for Mrs. P. L. Bridgers' residence at southwest corner of Third and Dock streets, was heard upon an application to use the street on the west side of the plaza at Third and Dock, for material used in the construction work. Upon the proper restrictions the customary building privileges were granted.

Mr. Johnson called attention to the large number of surface closets in the city and what he thought was the comparatively small number attended to by the scavengers during July as included in the report of the Superintendent of Health submitted at the last meeting. Chairman Yopp, and Alderman King of the Sanitary Committee, said they would look into the matter and an investigation after the meeting disclosed that the conditions complained of were very satisfactory.

The meeting adjourned in the midst of the discussion without a hint as to a repeal of the Sunday blue laws which is spoken of elsewhere in to-day's paper.

City Attorney Bellamy was not asked yesterday as to the legality of a repudiation of the contract with the present water works company, which continues for several years longer. However, it is understood Mr. Bellamy is of the opinion that the way is open for the city to install its own system of water works regardless of the contract. The action of the Aldermen at yesterday's meeting will come before the Board of Audit and Finance at its regular meeting this afternoon.

WATER AND SEWERAGE.

Plan Suggested How City May Own Both Systems.

A gentleman, whose knowledge of public utilities would be unquestioned were his name called, in discussing the proposed municipal ownership of a water plant yesterday, said that a greater mistake could not be made in the movement than not to include also the ownership of a sewerage system, both of which he believed could be made to pay handsomely. Should the present water works company in time make its supply quite as good as any system that the city may put in, the competition would be dangerous to the success of the municipally owned plant. However, with the sewerage system in connection, the city could compel connection in a certain area and in that event, of course, the water would have to go with it.

The two plants, the gentleman referred to estimates could be put in for $300,000. The interest on bonds to that amount would be $12,000 per annum at four per cent. and the operating expenses would be about $8,000, making a total of $20,000. In the area from Red Cross to Castle streets and from Tenth street to the river, it is estimated the city could require 2,000 connections. At $10 per year water tax and a minimum of $6 per year for sewerage there would be a revenue of $32,000. With approximately $7,000 now paid for water, the total would be $39,000, or a yearly profit of $19,000 to the city. Of course, the first year that much might not be received, but the revenue would gradually reach and perhaps exceed that amount, in the opinion of the gentleman with whom the reporter was talking.

Quick Payment of Insurance.

Section 221, Endownment Rank of the Knights of Pythias, has just made a very quick payment of an insurance claim in the case of the late R. B. Clowe, of this city. The proof of claim was forwarded Thursday and last night, just five days later, Mr. J. D. Kelly, president of the local section, handed Mrs. Clowe a check for $3,000, which was the amount carried by the deceased. The Endownment Rank is always prompt but the record in this instance is especially noteworthy.

"Grocer" wants a young man familiar with typewriter and who understands double entry book-keeping. See advertisement in Business Locals of the Star. au 15-2t*

The crowds are increasing at popular Lumina—the finest pavilion in the South. au 15-5t**

HEAVY TRIAL DOCKET

Many Were the Defendants Before the Mayor Yesterday In the Police Court

YOUNG MAN'S SAD CASE

Clarence Thompson Took Alternative of Accepting Police Escort and Leaving the City—Charged With Larceny.

A large crowd was attracted to the police court yesterday at noon to hear the trial of Clarence P. Thompson, the young man of good family who was arrested about 2 o'clock Sunday morning on the yards of the Angola Lumber mill. Thompson's father was once treasurer of the old W. & W. railroad here and the boy had a bright future before him. Since growing to manhood, however, he became shiftless and addicted to drink. He came back to Wilmington six or eight months ago, although the family has long since resided North, and worked at odd jobs now and then until he finally fell into the hands of a magistrate as a common vagrant upon complaint of residents in the Northern section of the city where he had been loitering around for some time. Friends came to his relief and in the Superior Court he was found not guilty of vagrancy, but, in discharging him, Judge Council took occasion to speak to him of the life he was leading and admonished him to change his course and get on his feet again. The young man dropped out of public notice for a time until at the dead hour of Saturday night a telephone message came from the Angola mill asking that he be arrested as he had been a source of annoyance about the plant and those in charge desired to get rid of him. He was then smoking a cigarette under a shed of lumber at the mill.

There was no evidence of housebreaking against him in court yesterday so the Mayor gave him choice of leaving the city at once or going to the roads for 30 days, the judgment being suspended on the conditions named. He was told that if he returned the judgment would at once be put into effect and he would have to do time on the roads. Thompson agreed to leave and was taken in the patrol wagon in charge of an officer, and put across Smith's Creek bridge. He appears to be a moral and physical degenerate. His case touched the pity of all who had occasion to follow the incidents in connection with his trial yesterday.

There were more than a dozen other cases in the police court yesterday, the docket always being heavy on Monday. "Becky" Green, an old "stager," was given 30 days in the workhouse for disorderly conduct. Mary Carter, colored, arrested for vagrancy, admitted that she was not working but said she had been sick. Unless she can produce a doctor's certificate to corroborate what she says, she will go to the roads today.

Elliott Ollson, a 14-year-old colored boy arrested by Police Officer Grimsley upon the arrival of a car from the beach Sunday, was charged with the larceny of a grip containing some clothing and $27 in money belonging to a waiter at the Northrop Cottage where the boy had also been employed. The clothing and most of the money was recovered. The boy was sent to jail in default of $50 for trial in the Superior Court.

Joseph Pickett, an obstreperous negro arrested by Policeman M. P. Newton at Eleventh and Chesnut streets, was charged with disorderly conduct and resisting arrest. He was fined $20 and costs which he arranged to pay.

TRUCKERS COME TO-MORROW.

Annual Meeting of E. C. T. & F. G. Association In This City.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Association here to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the county court room promises to be very largely attended as it is the most important gathering of the truckers of the Association in many years. Mr. H. T. Bauman, business agent of the Association, has been as busy as a bee since the last strawberry went North compiling information for the annual reports which will be made to-morrow. The Executive Committee of the Association will meet in the office of the organization in the Masonic Temple this morning at 10 o'clock and at the same hour and at the same place to-morrow morning the Board of Directors will meet. These meetings are merely preliminary to the general meeting to-morrow afternoon.

While in the city Wednesday complimentary trips to Wrightsville Beach on the trolley cars and on the steamer Wilmington to Carolina Beach have been arranged. Tickets will be distributed at Front and Princess streets to any and all the visitors who desire to take the trip at any time Wednesday.

Had a Good Time.

Mr. Frank P. Lamb has returned from a visit to Keith's, N. C., where he had been on a fishing frolic with that veteran piscatorialist, Mr. Lafayette Pridgen. The party of the first part is telling some mighty fishy stories about how they camped out, caught fish till they couldn't rest, and had all sorts of fish frys. Fishing up Black river is fine, and if anybody knows where to find them and how to catch them it is Mr. Pridgen.

If you wish to buy or sell anything; if you have lost or found anything; if you have a house or rooms to rent or if you wish [illegible] either; if you want board or b[illegible] a Business Local in the [illegible] an A. D. T. messe[illegible] or place of business without charge. F[illegible] No. 51.

Spend the evening [illegible] your friends are there.

THOSE SUNDAY BLUE LAWS

No Arrests But the Mayor Issues An Ultimatum as to Next Sunday—Aldermen Failed to Fire.

There was not a single arrest Sunday for violation of what are now generally known as the "blue laws." While those "on to the ropes" experienced no difficulty in getting what they wanted in soft drinks, tobaccos, cigars, cigarettes, etc., on Sunday, the effect of the law was discernible from the comparatively few people down town and the forsaken appearance of the drug stores during the short-hour period during which they were 'open morning and afternoon. The police had special instructions to keep tab on the drug stores but at the restaurants it was exceedingly difficult to tell just what this or that man was ordering with his meal or whether, indeed, he ordered any meal at all, or not. It was Wilmington's first experience in a long time with the Sunday law and the Wilmington public doesn't like it. At least that is the unanimous opinion of those with whom one meets on the street.

It was confidently expected that at the special meeting of the Board of Aldermen yesterday afternoon, some action would be taken to repeal or modify the ordinance, which has given so much trouble, but not one of the nine members of the Board present chirped about the Sunday law. After the meeting when most of the Aldermen were congregated in the hallway of the building, laughing and joking with one another and the spectators at the meeting, the inadvertence of the Board was suggested to the Mayor, who straightway called Chief of Police Williams to him and said in the hearing of all that on next Sunday, if the law be not repealed or modified in the meantime, the chief would be expected to literally enforce it. Not only must the drug stores and restaurants confine themselves to the ligitimate sales of medicines and ice and the serving of meals, but the livery stables must cease the hire of conveyances, the hacks are to be debarred from operation, the cry of the newsboy in the street must be silenced, news stands must be closed; in fact, the lid must be shut and cemented down hard and fast. The chief said he would certainly see that the law is enforced.

A movement was then launched to call the Board back together by those Aldermen who heard the ultimatum of the Mayor, but three members of the Board—Messrs. Price, W. H. Yopp and Johnson—had gone and it was thought best to defer passage upon the question until all could be present. At the request of the Aldermen the Mayor then said he would call a special meeting Wednesday or Thursday afternoon to repeal or modify the ordinance as the Board may elect.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mrs. Frank P. Lamb is on a visit to friends at Keith's.

—Mr. James M. Hall has returned from a business and pleasure trip North.

—Mr. H. P. Munson came home Sunday from a business trip up the State.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brown and Mrs. J. H. Land arrived last night from the South.

—Messrs. A. Toon, of Whiteville, and L. E. Squires, of Council's, were at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Peterson left yesterday evening to spend two weeks in New York, Ocean Grove N. J., and other northern resorts.

—Miss Gertrude Bryan is spending a few days in the city on her return home to Scott's Hill from Gaffney, S. C., where she has been visiting.

—Among last night's arrivals at The Orton were W. E. McDaniel, Whiteville; Austin Clark, Elizabethtown; D. S. MacRae and C. D. Sedberry, of Fayetteville.

—Mr. W. P. Boger left Sunday to spend his vacation at his home in "Morganton-on-the Catawba.' Before returning he will also spend some time in the Sapphire country.

—Mr. Owen Flynn, of Canetuck, Pender county, was in the city yesterday. He says crops in that section have been considerably damaged by the overflow in the Cape Fear river.

—Dr. C. S. Farris, president of Stilson University, Fla., and Mr. J. J. Farris, editor of the High Point Enterprise, are visiting their brother, Mr. W. A. Farris, on South Front street.

—Editor Fred R. Mintz, of the Mount Olive Tribune, one of the Star's most valued weekly exchanges, was here yesterday, returning from a visit to his old home at Southport.

—Mr. Claude E. Moss, manager of the dress goods department of Messrs. J. H. Rehder & Co.'s store leaves this morning to spend his vacation at Charlotte, Cleveland Springs and Lincolnton.

—Mr. H. C. McQueen and daughter returned yesterday morning from the North. Mr. Mc Queen recently returned from a trip through Europe and his friends are delighted to see him looking much improved.

PAUL W. GARY CASE.

Another Indictment brought in The Unfortunate Affair.

Another chapter in the series of sensational incidents in the case of Paul W. Gary and wife was added yesterday morning when Justice G. W. Bornemann had served upon Mrs. Gary a warrant sworn out by J. W. Cumber, charging her with an assault with a deadly weapon upon her daughter, Miss Lizzie Owens. What interest Mr. Cumber has in the case could not be learned. It is alleged that Mrs. Gary struck the young woman with a chair. The case was continued and Mrs. Gary was recognized until the original investigation of all the charges and counter charges before Justice George Harriss next Saturday. At that time Mr. and Mrs. Gary will be represented by counsel who denounce the whole affair as an unwarranted intrusion upon the domestic affairs of their [illegible] and an outrage against a good [illegible] and a good woman.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.,

CUSTOM TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

For the benefit of our well dressed men we will have an Expert Cutter, representing the celebrated HIGH GRADE CLOTHING of Strouse & Bros., Baltimore, Md. He will be here on

Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday,
August 14, 15 and 16.

with an attractive line of foreign and domestic woolens, in the newest and most distinctive weaves, showing what's proper to wear for Fall and Winter, 1905 and 1906.

We shall be pleased to have you call and have your measure taken, which will be filled with utmost care.

HIGH ART CLOTHING is the choice of particular men, to whom its faultless fit, superior workmanship, individual style and nobby patterns, yield complete satisfaction.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.,
MASONIC TEMPLE. ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS.
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CONVINCING PROOF!

A STAR BUSINESS LOCAL BRINGS 25 RESPONSES.

Attention is called to the following, which is proof positive that it pays to advertise in the Business Locals department of The Morning Star:

The Morning Star,
Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Editor: Yours of the 7th received, and will say that we had about 25 answers from our advertisement for a bookkeeper in the Business Locals of your paper. We secured a man who went to work the first of this week. Yours truly,

NEAL-MORSE LUMBER CO.,
Per W. A. Morse.

South Washington, N. C., Aug. 9, 1905.

Ladies'
WHITE CANVAS TIES
A New Lot Just Received.
Solomon's Shoe Store.
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ENTERED RAILROAD OFFICE.

Stationery Room In Purchasing Agent's Department Visited.

The stationery room in the Purchasing Agent's department of the Atlantic Coast Line was entered by an unknown party or parties Sunday night, entrance having been gained by means of removing a glass panel of the door. A paper knife from the desk of one of the clerks in the outer office had been used in an attempt to remove the putty from the glass, but failing in that the glass was smashed and the night latch was uncaught by reaching through. Fortunately nothing was stolen as only printed blanks and paper were stored in the room. The thief evidently mistook the stationery room for the supply room and having been disappointed, did not make an attempt to get into the latter. No clue was left by the person who entered the storage room.

DIED.

PESCHAU—Mrs. Albert E. Peschau at Asheville, N. C., Sunday August 13th, 1905, at 1 o'clock P. M. Burial at Asheville yesterday.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NOTICE.

Stockholders meeting of the East Carolina Truck & Fruit Growers' Association. The annual meeting of the stockholders of the East Carolina Truck and Fruit Growers' Association will be held in Wilmington, N. C., Wednesday, August 16th, 1905., at the County Court House at 2:30 P. M....
By order of W. L. HILL, President.
H. T. BAUMAN, Sect'y.

Masonic Temple,
Aug. 15, 1905.
Wilmington Lodge, No. 319, A. F. & A. M.
Regular monthly communication this Tuesday) evening at 8 o'clock.
Visiting brethren cordially invited.
EUSTACE NORFLEET,
au 15-1t Secretary.

NOTICE!

On Monday, the 4th day of September, A. D. 1905, at 12 o'clock, M., I will sell at the Court House door of New Hanover County, in the City of Wilmington, at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, all the right, title and interest of J. O. Nixon, as well as all the right, title and interest which said Nixon has had at any time since the docketing of the judgment upon which the execution now in my hands was issued, of, in and to one lot or parcel of land in the city of Wilmington, N. C., bounded as follows: Beginning in the western line of Eighth street at a point sixty feet southwardly from the southern line of Nixon street, running thence southwardly with the western line of Eighth street thirty feet, thence westwardly and parallel with Nixon street eighty feet, thence northwardly and parallel with Eighth street thirty feet, thence eastwardly and parallel with Nixon street eighty feet to the beginning, to satisfy an execution above referred to in my hands for collection against said J. O. Nixon, and which has been levied on said land as the property of said J. O. Nixon.
FRANK H. STEDMAN,
au1-Tu4t. Sheriff.

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY UNDER MECHANIC'S LIEN.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, having a lien on and possession of one Delivery Wagon repaired for and at the instance of J. W. Plummer, Jr., and there is due and payable to me for said work done and material furnished the sum of $25.75, and the same being due and unpaid for more than thirty days, I will proceed to sell at public auction at my Blacksmith Shop, on the west side of Second street between Dock and Orange, in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Monday the 28th day of August, 1905, at 12 o'clock M., for cash, the aforesaid Delivery Wagon, to satisfy said claim and lien.
The same can be seen at any time before or on the day of sale by applying to the undersigned. Signed this the 12th day of August, 1905.
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The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

Friday Morning, Aug. 11.

Tuesday Morning, Aug. 15.

UNIFORM SYSTEM OF QUARANTINE.

We might say that the most important consideration to mankind is that of health. The vital question yet to be settled is how to keep the cities healthful. The world ought to get together on that proposition and the universe ought not to get another century older till something is done. To keep our bodies healthy must be largely an individual effort but the question of clean cities and protection of cities from pestilence is one of community interest and some system can be devised that can be universally applied. Each community must depend on itself to a great degree, but in matters of quarantine we are committed to the proposition for a uniform quarantine for the coast cities of the United States.

The yellow fever scourge in New Orleans is bringing the uniform quarantine question to the front, and naturally that involves Federal control of quarantine matters. The New Orleans Picayune opposes Federal control, and says:

"Since the advent of the present visitation of yellow fever in New Orleans, there has been more or less talk about a uniform system of quarantine for all the coasts and ports of the United States, and those persons who are always ready to call on a paternal government for blessings of all sorts are ready with a proposition to turn the entire business of quarantine and local health over to the United States and abandon all State control or connection with such an important service.

"There are various reasons why such a course is proposed. One of these is based on the supposition that the United States, in accepting such a responsibility, would also assume all the expenses and free the State and city of all pecuniary burdens in the premises. Any such anticipation may prove to be premature, since it does not appear that the United States government, while not averse to accepting grants of power over the health affairs of States and cities, has exhibited any disposition to assume also the financial obligations and to pay the expenses.

"It is not likely that any advocate of government quarantine would propose it on the ground that United States officials are more honest and reliable than are State officers, or that they are more capable. There are just as able sanitarians in the State today as ever there were here or anywhere, and there is just as much honesty and integrity. The claim that the word of Federal officials will go farther outside of the State than would that of State officials depends wholly on the individuals themselves, and not on any extraneous accompaniment. In such matters nothing takes the place of character, and it will not be contended that there is any lack of it in Louisiana.

The simple fact is that in order to save our port, either from unjust discrimination or from being exposed to a dangerous looseness of quarantine, we must maintain control for ourselves, and, therefore, an independent State quarantine is necessary for New Orleans, and this is said without the slightest reflection on any person or opinion or interest."

We believe that a uniform system of quarantine is absolutely essential for the safety of our Southern ports. We cannot secure uniform action by States, hence the question reverts to Federal control. We can see no resemblance whatsoever to paternalism in the quarantine question, and granting that State sanitarians are just as able as Federal sanitarians, we regard uniformity in quarantine matters as superior to the question of whether a sanitarian is a State or Federal functionary. To secure uniformity we can see no other way than to look to the government to establish it.

We do not agree without esteemed New Orleans contemporary, however, that State quarantine is as efficient as Federal quarantine is or can be made to be. In the first place there can be no system under the lax quarantine establishments of the individual States. The States cannot maintain the experts necessary and when a situation like that at New Orleans develops, it is too late to be going around looking for experts.

At a distance we must say that we entirely agree with Governor Vardaman, of Mississippi, in his conclusion that the Louisiana State Board of Health is largely responsible for the present condition of New Orleans, and whether it is responsible or not we have observed that it has not been equal to the occasion after the worst came. We do not see how the worst system of Federal quarantine can be any worse than that of most of the States, and when it is taken into consideration that the safety of other States depends on efficient quarantine at New Orleans or Charleston, as the case may be, the question is one of inter-State concern and that means all the States acting through their central government.

CITY WATER WORKS.

The Star favors municipal ownership of water works by all cities and towns. Nothing is so necessary to the health of a people as an ample supply of pure water; and this is not likely to be secured unless the responsibility is imposed on the city authorities

But if the city of Wilmington is to build and own its system of water works, it must be a strictly modern plant and, in our opinion, it will cost at least $200,000, and probably $250,000.

In connection with the power plant there should be a reservoir for sedimentation and purification, with a capacity of several million gallons, and to this must be added a filtration plant.

No one-horse plant is wanted. It must be built on modern lines and not for the present only; but for the future, when the population of Wilmington will be doubled or trebled.

A thoroughly modern water works plant is an expensive affair, but it is a necessity to Wilmington, as it is to all cities.

The city of Columbia is now building a plant at a contract price of $385,000; but it will be up to date in every respect and will no doubt prove a wise and profitable investment.

We should move slowly in so important a matter. Much valuable information is to be obtained before final action is taken, and this will necessitate delay.

THE PERMANENT ENCAMPMENT.

The Wilmington papers seem to be just a litle bit apprehensive that Morehead may be selected for the permanent encampment site. There is no cause for apprehension. Should Morehead be selected, the "permanent" encampment would be a one season affair.—Charlotte Chronicle.

Entirely true as to Morehead. And, we may add, there is no apprehension felt here as to Wrightsville provided that point is considered strictly on its merits. It combines all the requisites for a permanent encampment site; and this cannot be honestly claimed for any other location named.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—If Bernard fights that case in Raleigh and has some good lawyers to help him there will be a shaking up of dirty rags.—Durham Herald.

—Now see what President Roosevelt's party has done by admitting a genuine Mormon to the United States senate; a Turk has just come over and asked for admission to citizenship bringing with him at least three of the wives from his native harem. It appears that New York would not have "kicked" if the Turk hadn't called the women his "wives."—Norfolk Virginia-Pilot.

—Senator Bailey is camping on the trail of Dr. Alderman again. Going back to the doctor's inquiry as to the location of the Calhouns, the Clays, and the Davises of the South at the present time, he asks why a similar inquiry was not made with regard to the Websters and Choates of the North. The South's all right and Dr. Alderman made a mistake when he rendered an adverse criticism against her in making a speech in the North.—Greensboro Telegram.

—With a community as with an individual health is the one important thing, and no one should be allowed to commit any act, whether of commission or omission, which is certain to prove detrimental to the public health. Such acts are as criminal as any other act against the public welfare and should be punished as such. No time should be lost in making them criminal by statute, and the statute should be rigidly enforced when enacted.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

—According to a table just issued by the Census Bureau, North Carolina railroad property is worth $113,146,000. The greatest valuation is that of Pennsylvania, $1,420,608,000, and the smallest Delaware, with $17,285,000. In North Carolina the tax valuation is given as 61.4 per cent. of the market valuation, against 39 per cent. in South Carolina and 33.7 per cent. in Virginia. The North Carolina rate appears low enough, but it is safe to say that if all other property in the State was valued as high as the railroads that the State would have a surplus in the Treasury.—Charlotte Observer.

Public is Aroused.

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's drug store; price 50c. **

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TWINKLINGS.

—"Edith, there is one thing that I like about you." "Really, What's that?" "My arm!"—Ally Sloper's Half-Holiday.

—Mother—Has Charles proven himself to be a thoroughly abstemious man? June Bride—Yes, indeed! He particularly abstains from giving me any money!—Detroit Free Press.

—Demonstration—She—And did you ever propose to a girl in a canoe? He—Yes, and I'll never do it again! The girl jumped at my proposal, and upset the boat.—Yonkers Statesman.

—"Did I understand you to say you were sentenced to prison for twenty years?" "Dat's wot I said." "How did you get out so soon?" "I wuz pardoned. A guy wid a barrel o' coin wanted a chauffeur wot wasn't troubled wid no conscience."—Detroit Tribune.

—Nell—That Miss Jones, the typewriter girl, says she was the envy of all the other young women at the seashore. Grace—No wonder. While she was down there she got all the other girls in the office to write letters to her and she sat on the porch and blushed and smiled while she read them.—Philadelphia Press.

—Provoking Mistake.—The caller was angry, and even belligerent. "I want an explanation and an apology, sir," he said. "In your paper this morning you had an account of the wedding at the Smithbys' last night, and you spoke of 'the jay that attended the happy pair as they went to the altar.' Now, sir, I'm the—" "Gracious heaven!" gasped the editor, "I wrote it 'joy!'"—Chicago Tribune.

—"Harper's Weekly" tells a story of a German whose wife, seriously ill, was taken into a hospital for treatment. In the evening her husband inquired how she was getting along, and was told that she was improving. Next day he called again, and was told she was still improving. This went on for some time, each day the report being that his wife was improving. Finally, one night when he called he was told that his wife was dead. Seeing the doctor, he went up to him and said, "Vell, doctor, vat did she die of—improvements?"

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Aug 14, 1905.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Market, nothing doing.

TAR— Market firm at $2.00 bid per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm at $2.50 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.25 for Virgin.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, nothing doing, tar, firm, at $1.80; crude turpentine, firm at $2.25, $4.00 and $4.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	69
Rosin	387
Tar	88
Crude	267

Same day last year—56 casks spirits turpentine, 369 barrels rosin, 21 barrels tar, 166 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—9 bales; same day last year —bales.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

(Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.)

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, $1.10; extra prime, $1.12; fancy $1.15, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime 80c., extra prime, 85c.; fancy, 90c. Spanish, $1.05 @$1.10.

CORN—Firm; 60@65 per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 1[illegible]@15 per pound; shoulders, 9@10c.; sides, dull, 9@10c.

EGGS—Firm at 14c. pe. dozen.

CHICKENS—Dull Springs, 12 1-2@25c.; Grown, 25@30c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per pound.

PEAS — White, No sales; clay; $1.15@$1.20.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 95@$1.00 per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 1-2@4c. per pound.

COTTON MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 14.—The cotton market was not more than moderately active but selling was quite general at times and prices ruled generally easier, closing at a net decline of 14 to 17 points. Sales were estimated at 250,000 bales. The opening was weak at a decline of 5 to 11 points in response to lower cables. Leading local bears were quite aggressive and while there was some demand on a scale down through wire houses, attracted by reports of too much rain in the eastern belt and too little in the west, the decline was not checked with covering by shorts was attracted at a net decline of about 14 to 1 5points toward midday. There was a brief rally in the early afternoon, but after an improvement of 6 or 7 points the market again eased off and while steady at the close, was at the lowest point of the session under New Orleans offerings and reports of easier spot markets. According to official reports the Southern spot markets were 1-16 to 1-4 lower but very little business was reported at the decline. The weather map showed rain in some sections of the belt but none in Texas where rain is supposed to be needed.

Spot closed quiet ten points lower. Middling uplands, 10.55; middling gulf, 10.80; sales 1,300.

Futures opened weak. August, 10.25; September, 10.28; October, 10.40; November, 10.47; December, 10.53; January, 10.60; March, 10.68; April, 10.75; May, 10.70.

Futures closed steady. August, 10.16; September, 10.27; October, 10.36; November, 10.41; December, 10.46; January, 10.53; February, 10.56; March, 10.62; April, 10.64; May, 10.66.

Port Movement.

Galveston—Quiet, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 2,290 bales.

New Orleans—Quiet and easy, 10 7-16c.; net receipts, 2,508 bales.

Mobile—Nominal, 10c.; net receipts, 58 bales.

Savannah—Unsettled, 10 1-4c.; net receipts, 977 bales.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 586 bales.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 9 bales.

Norfolk—Dull, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 757 bales.

Baltimore—Nominal, 10 5-8c.

New York—Quiet, 10.55.

Boston—Quiet, 10.55; 166 bales.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 10.80.

Total to-day, at all ports—Net, 12,298 bales; Great Britain, 28,064 bales; France, 7,023 bales; Continent, 2,055 bales; Stock, 344,626 bales.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 18,666 bales; Great Britain, 28,559 bales; France, 7,023 bales; Continent, 21,055 bales; Japan, 157 bales; Mexico, 100 bales.

Total since September 1st, at all ports—Net, 10,117,210 bales; Great Britain, 9,012,401 bales; France, 853,402 bales; Continent, 3,228,676 bales; Japan, 312,717 bales; Mexico, 29,432 bales.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Easy, 10 1-2c.; net receipts, 2,703 bales.

Augusta—Quiet and steady, 10 5-8c.; net receipts, 52 bales.

Memphis—Easy, 10 1-4c.; net receipts, 388 bales.

St. Louis—Quiet.

Cincinnati.—Net receipts, 100 bales.

Louisville—Firm, 10 1-2c.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

Liverpool, August 14.—Cotton—Spot in limited demand; prices 5 points lower. American middling fair, 6.16d; good middling, 5.90d.; middling, 5.74d.; low middling, 5.58d.; good ordinary, 5.40d.; ordinary, 5.24d.

The sales of the day were 5,000 bales of which 300 were for speculation and export and included 4,700 American. Receipts 6,000 bales including 5,400 American. Futures opened quiet and closed steady. American middling G. O. C: August, 5.62d.; August and September, 5.62d; September and October, 5.63d.; October and November, 5.64d.; November and December, 5.65d.; December and January, 5.66d.; January and February, 5.67d.; February and March, 5.68; March and April, 5.69d.; April and May, 5.69d.; May and June, 5.70d; June and July, 5.70d.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, August 14.—Money on call easy 1 1-2@2 per cent., closing bid 1 1-2, offered at 1 3-4. Time loans dull and easy; sixty days, 3 per cent.; ninety days, 3 1-4@3 1-2; six months, 3 3-4@4. Prime mercantile paper, 4@4 1-2. Sterling exchange easier with actual business in bankers bills at 486.75@480 for demand and at 484.70@484.75 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 485 1-2 and 487 1-2. Commercial bills, 484 5-8. Bar silver 59 3-4. Mexican dollars, 46.

N. Y. Bonds.

U. S. refunding, 2s. reg.	104
U. S. refunding, 2s. cou.	104
U. S. 3s reg.	103 1-4
U. S. 3s cou.	103 1-4
U. S. New 4s. reg	132 1-2
U. S. 4s. new cou	132 1-2
U. S. old 4s reg.	104
U. S. 4s old cou	104
American Tobacco, 4s cert	76
American Tobacco, 6s cert	116 1-4
Atlantic Coast Line, 4s	102 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio, 4s	105 3-4
L. & N. Unified, 4s	104 1-4
Seaboard Air Line, 4s	90
Southern Railway, 5s	119 1-4
U. S. Steel, 2d 5s	97 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	83 7-8
American Sugar Refining	144 1-8
American Tobacco, pfd cert	102 7-8
Atlantic Coast Line	168
Baltimore & Ohio	116 7-8
Baltimore & Ohio, pfd.,	98
Chesapeake & Ohio	56 1-2
Louisville & Nashville	149 3-4
Manhattan L.	167
Mexican Central	23 1-4
New York Central	154 5-8
Norfolk & Western	86 1-2
Norfolk & Western, pfd	90
People's Gas	105
Reading	109 3-4
Reading, 1st pfd	94 1-2
Reading, 2d pfd	93 1-2
Southern Pacific	67
Southern Pacific, pfd	118 1-4
Southern Railway	35 5-8
Southern Railway, pfd	99 1-2
Tenn., Coal & Iron	90
U. S. Steel	36 1-4
U. S. Steel, pfd	104 5-8
Va-Car. Chemical	34
Va.-Car. Chemical, pfd	106 3-4
S. A. L., com	—
S. A. L., pfd	43 1-2
Standard Oil	621
Western Union	93 3-4

CHICAGO MARKET.

Chicago, Aug. 14.—Prevailing belief that a large crop is virtually assured resulted in a weak market here today for wheat. The close showed a net loss of 3-8 for September. Corn is down 1-4. Oats are off 1-4@3-8. Provisions are practically unchanged, except ribs which are 10@12 1-2.

The leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open	High.	Low.	Close
Wheat, No. 2.—				
Sept	81⅜	81⅞	80⅝	81¼
Dec.	83¼	83½	82½	82⅝
May	85⅞	86⅛	84⅞	85⅜
Corn, No. 2.—				
Sept. old,	53⅜	53⅝	52⅞	53
Sept. new	52¾	53¼	52⅝	52¾
Dec. old	46½	47	46½	46⅝
Dec., new	44⅝	45¼	44½	44⅝
May	44½	45	44¼	44⅜
Oats, No. 2.—				
Sept	26	26⅛	25½	25¾
Dec.	27	27⅛	26½	26¾
May	29	29¼	28½	28¾
Mess Pork, per bbl.—				
Sept	14.30	14.30	14.20	14.27½
Oct	14.30	14.32½	14.25	14.32½
Lard, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	7.82½	7.82½	7.80	7.82½
Oct	7.90	7.92½	7.90	7.92½
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.—				
Sept	8.60	8.70	8.55	8.70
Oct.	8,70	8.80	8.65	8.80

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour, easy; No. 3 spring wheat, 80@82 1-4; No. 2 red, 80@81 1-4; No. 2 corn, 54 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 55; No. 2 oats, 24 1-2; No. 2 white, 28 3-4c.; No. 3 white, 28; No. 2 rye, 57; Fair to choice malting, 38@39; No. 1 flax seed, 1.06; No. 1 northwestern, 1.16; Prime timothy seed, 3.30; Mess pork, per bbl., 14.25@14.30; Lard, per 100 lbs., 7.77 1-2; Short ribs sides (loose), 8.60@8.70; Short clear sides (boxed), 8.75@8.87; Whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.28; Clover, contract grade, 12.25.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Aug. 14.—Flour dull and easy.

RYE FLOUR—Easy.

WHEAT—Spot barely steady; No. 2 red, 86 1-8 elevator. Options unchanged to 1-8 lower. September, 86 3-8; December, 88; May, 89 9-16.

CORN—Easy; No. 2, 61 elevator. Options nominally 1-2@3-4 net lower. September, 59 1-2; December, 53.

OATS—Spot easy; mixed, 30@30 1-2.

LARD—Firm; western steamed, 7.80@8.15; refined steady.

PORK—Firm.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio steady; No 7 invoice, 8 3-4; mild steady; Cordova, 10@13. Futures steady at a net advance of 10@15 points.

SUGAR—Raw firm; fair refining, 3 1-2@3 17-32; centrifugal 96 test, 4 1-8@4 5-32; molasses sugar, 3 1-4@3 9-32; refined firm.

PANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 5 1-4; other domestics, 3@5 1-2.

COTTON BY STEAM—To Liverpool, 12@13.

POTATOES—Steady; Long Island, 1.50@1.75; Delaware and Maryland, 1.37@1.62; Jersey, 1.37@1.75; Southern, 60@1.50; Sweet potatoes, Jersey per basket, 75@1.50; Southern per barrel, 1.50@2.00.

CABBAGE—Steady; Long Island and nearby, 4@6 per 100.

BUTTER—Steady; creamery, 17 1-2@20 1-2; State dairy, 17@20.

CHEESE—Quiet; small, 9 3-4@10 1-2.

EGGS—Strong; nearby selected, 26@27.

COTTON SEED OIL—Active at generally firm price; prime crude f. o. b. mills, 24@25; prime summer yellow, 30 1-4@30 3-4; off summer yellow nominal; prime white, 32 1-2@33 1-2; prime winter yellow, 32 1-2@33 1-2.

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NAVAL STORES.

New York, August 14.—Turpentine steady, 63 1-2 to 64; rosin quiet.

Savannah, August 14.—Turpentine firm, 60 1-2; sales 469; receipts 891; shipments 88.

Rosin firm; sales 283; receipts 2,201; shipments 748. Quote: A. B. C., 3.30; D., 3.45; E., 3.85; F., 3.95; G., 4.05@4.10; H., 4.10; I., 4.12 1-2; K., 4.15; M., 4.25; N., 4.45; W. G., 4.85; W. W., 5.15.

Charleston, August 14—Turpentine and rosin nothing doing.

MARINE.

ARRIVED.

Steamer Duplin, Smith, Fayetteville, T. D. Love.

Steamer Compton, Little River, S. C., Stone & Co.

Robt. McClintock, 126 tons, Louis, New York, C. D. Mafftt.

CLEARED.

Steamer Duplin, Smith, Fayetteville, T. D. Love.

Schooner Alice B. Phillips, Lundt, New York, C. D. Mafftt.

Schooner Jno. R. Fell, Loveland, New York, C. D. Mafftt.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels Now in Port of Wilmington, N. C.

Schooners.

Brazos, 190 tons, Snyder, C. D. Mafftt.

Howard B. Peck, 448 tons, Dodd, C. D. Mafftt.

Chas. C. Lister, 267 tons, Moore, C. D. Mafftt.

Geo. E. Dudley, 387 tons, Chase, C. D. Mafftt.

Robert McClintock, 126 tons, Louis, C. D. Mafftt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 14, 1905.

C. C. Railroad—35 barrels tar, 85 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—10 casks spirits turpentine, 34 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar, 30 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—2 bales cotton, 17 barrels rosin, 11 barrels tar, 50 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—7 bales cotton, 15 casks spirits turpentine, 89 barrels rosin, 10 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—2 casks spirits turpentine, 18 barrels rosin, 40 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Alice—13 casks spirits turpentine, 97 barrels rosin, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Compton—22 casks spirits turpentine, 59 barrels rosin.

Steamer Duplin—7 casks spirits turpentine, 73 barrels rosin, 30 barrels tar, 46 barrels crude turpentine.

Total—9 bales cotton, 69 casks spirits turpentine, 387 barrels rosin, 88 barrels tar, 267 barrels crude turpentine.

Peculiar Disappearance.

J. D. Runyan, of Butlerville, O., laid the peculiar disappearance of his painful symptoms, of indigestion and biliousness, to Dr. King's New Life Pills. He says: "They are a perfect remedy, for dizziness, sour stomach, headache, constipation, etc." Guaranteed at R. R. Bellamy's drug store, price 25c. **

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BIG
Two Days Remnant Sale,
Friday and Safurday.

Our entire line of 10, 12½ and 15c. Lawns to close, 8c. per yard.	35c. Extra Size Turkish Towels. A bargain, 25c. each.
1,500 yards of Black and White Lawns, 10c. kind, to close, 6c.	25c. Linon, Fringed Towels, now 19c.
12½c. Dress Gingahams to close, 8c.	Extra Size Turkish Towels, 15c. kind, 10c.
6c. Apron Ginghams, all colors, to close, 4½c.	Large Size Cotton Towels, 15c. kind, 10c.
6 and 7c. Colored Lawns, to close, 4½c.	25c. Oil Shades, sale price 19c.
Best 10c. Bleaching, only 10 yards to customer, 8c. per yard.	15c. Felt Curtains, sale price, 9c..
1,500 yards of 10c. Dark outings, good patterns; sale price, 7c. per yard.	65c. Sheets, extra size, sale price 48c.
Good White Lawn, 6c. kind, nod 4c.	50c. Sheets, extra size, 35c.
Ladies' Muslin underwear reduced.	Ladies' $1.25 Umbrellas. Bib values, 98c.
Ladies' Lisle Hose, 3 pair for 25c.	Men's $1.25 Umbrellas. Big values, 98c.
5c. Torchon Lace to close, 3c. per yard.	Men's 50c. Summer Drawers, Now 35c. pair.
The Dixie Curtain Poles, 25c. and 50c.	Men's Black Sox, lisle thread, 3 pair for 25c.

Special 5c Laundry Soap 2c Cake.

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Wrightsville Beach, N. C.

Report of The Condition of

The Murchison National Bank

Of Wilmington, N. C.

At the close of Business, May 29th, 1905.

(Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and Discounts	$1,140,746 97	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	335,000 00	Surplus and Net Profits	151,022 17
Bank Building	25,000 00	Circulation	281 950 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	701,913 87	Deposits	1,469,708 67
Total	$2,202,660 84	Total	$2,202,660 84

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF DEPOSITS.

May 29th, 1903, $1,[illegible]9,057 60

May 24th, 1904, $1,307,643 32.

May 29th, 1905, $1,469,708 67.

H. C. McQUEEN, President.
J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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Littleton Female College!

Splendid location. Health resort. Over 200 boarding pupils last year. High grade of work. High standard of culture and social life. Conservatory advantages in Music. Advanced courses in Art and Elocution. Hot water heat. Electric lights and other modern improvements.

Remarkable health record; only one death among pupils in 23 years. Close personal attention to the health and social development of every pupil. High standard of scholarship. All pupils dress alike on all public occasions. CHARGES VERY LOW.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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REMOVAL NOTICE!

ON OR ABOUT JULY 25th OUR BANKING OFFICE WILL BE MOVED TO NO. 110 N. FRONT STREET IN STORE FORMERLY OCCUPIED BY N. B. RANKIN.

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C. E. TAYLOR, JR., Cashier.

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Call and take advantage of this Sale.

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People who buy nothing else from us, buy this Meal, because, they write "our customers call for it." There is only one "Dunlop Meal," so accept no other.

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For Steam and Water Packing, We call your attention to our line of packings:

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Wholesale Supply Dealers,
224, 226 N. Water Street.
Wilmington, N. C.

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SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

—Some large torpedoes were found Friday by a force of convicts who were repairing the road near Bear Creek, west of La Grange. These instruments of destruction were planted by the Confederates shortly before the close of the Civil War and many persons remember the circumstances.

—The rainfall at Southern Pines up to Sunday since Thursday night totals 12 inches, which is almost one-fourth the normal rainfall for the entire year. This is a fair illustration of the heavy rains that have been falling in the up country, swelling all the streams and doing immense damage to crops.

—Mr. L. W. Cooper, a well-known contractor and brick manufacturer, of Charlotte, and Mr. W. B. Henry, a leading business man of Wilkes county, have leased the famous buff brick yards of Mr. Jacob Jenkins, of Stanley Creek, and will manufacture red and buff brick at the rate of about 25,000 a day until spring, when the capacity will be doubled.

—Charlotte Observer: The many friends of Mr. Charles M. Setzer, the efficient and popular general delivery clerk at the post office, will learn with regret that the news comes from Caldwell county, where he is spending his vacation, that he has been robbed of his valuable watch and what money he had, and also had the misfortune of getting his arm broken. The particulars are not at hand. It is known that he went several miles above Lenoir to visit his kin-people.

—Raleigh correspondence Charlotte Observer: Mr. Ebbs, of Madison county, who came here yesterday to see were never before so many people in Governor Glenn, stated that there the North Carolina mountains, the greater number being refugees from the yellow fever districts. He says the hotels everywhere are well filled, as also the boarding houses and country houses, even in the most retired locations, are eagerly sought for. He thinks that the movement will be of great value to that section.

—A very serious cutting affair occurred in Salisbury Sunday afternoon. Jim Peck and his two sons, Lonnie and Ed. Peck, went to the house of Louis Lyerly, whom they found playing with his children in the yard, and attacked him, stabbing him three times, twice in the back and once in the left side. Besides this brass knucks were used inflicting several wounds upon his head. Lyerly may die. Peck's two sons are mere boys, being about 15 years old. The affair arose over Lyerly threatening to kill Peck's dog for eating his chickens.

—A dispatch from Asheville on Sunday says: Bishop A. Coke Smith, of the Southern Methodist church who is seriously ill here, passed a restless day, though his condition this evening is reported as being slightly improved. Bishop Smith is suffering with tubercolosis, and while there is little hope for his ultimate recovery, there is hope that he will recover from the relapse incident to his visit to Norfolk, Va., and again be able to leave his bed. Mrs. Smith arrived this afternoon from Norfolk and is now at the bedside of her husband.

—The commissioners of Asheboro have enacted a Curfew law to prevent minors under the age of 15 years from going or being upon the streets or in the public places after 9 o'clock P. M., from May 1st to October 1st, and after 8 P. M., any other time, unless accompanied by parent or guardian, or holding written consent of such parent or guardian. The Board also passed an ordinance prohibiting the sale of anything on Sunday except medicines or necessities for the sick, and ice. Also prohibiting boot blacks from plying their trade on the streets Sundays, or soliciting patronage in a loud or boisterous manner.

—A dispatch from Durham on Saturday says: Knapp Horner, the slayer of Deputy Sheriff Nichols, of Orange county, is back in the Durham county jail. He was brought here this morning after his conviction and sentence of 12 years in the penitentiary. He has appealed to the Supreme Court. This crime was committed a year or more ago. Officer Nichols was killed while trying to arrest Horner on a warrant that charged him with assault and battery. In his charge to the jury Judge Ward intimated that under no aspect of the evidence should the verdict be less than manslaughter and instructed them as to murder in the first and second degrees and manslaughter. This was late in the afternoon yesterday. The jury brought in a verdict for murder in the second degree early last evening and sentence was passed this morning. In passing sentence Judge Ward said that, in view of the fact that the defendant is now 60 years of age, he thought 12 years would about consume most of the time he had left on this earth and consequently gave him a sentence of 12 years at hard labor.

WANAMAKER DINES BOOKER T.

Negro Escorted Philadelphian's Daughter to Table in Swell Hotel.

Saratoga, N. Y., August 13.—Booker T. Washington's appearance at dinner in the great dining room of the United States Hotel created a mild sensation among the diners. Washington was the guest of John Wanamaker, former Postmaster-General, and acted as escort for Mrs. Barclay Warburton, Mr. Wanamaker's daughter, while Mr. Wanamaker walked to the table with J. R. E. Roberts. As they walked down the long line every eye was directed upon the group. Comparatively few of those present recognized any of them, and there was a general buzz of comment and a craning of necks.—Baltimore Sun.

Fiendish Suffering

is often caused by sores, ulcers and cancers, that eat away your skin. Wm. Bedell, of Flat Rock, Mich., says: "I have used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, for Ulcers, Sores and Cancers. It is the best healing dressing I ever found." Soothes and heals cuts, burns and scalds. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's drug store; guaranteed. **

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COAT SHIRTS
Suited to every figure, and every occasion. Designs exclusive.
FAST COLOR FABRICS
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IF YOU WANT TO KNOW WHY

REYNOLDS' SUN CURED

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is the largest seller, cut out this advertisement and send, together with 2c stamp, to R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co., Winston-Salem, N. C., and they will mail free a 5c sample of this tobacco. Write your name and address plainly. n

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Wilmington Mothers Should Not Neglect Kidney Weakness In Children.

Most children have weak kidneys. The earliest warning is bed-wetting. Later comes backache, headache, languor.

'Tis a mistake to neglect these troubles,

To blame the child for its own distress.

Seek to cure the kidneys—

Save the child from deadly kidney ills.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys.

Wilmington parents recommend them.

J. T. Ebert, formerly of 515 South Sixth street, mattress maker, says: "I used Doan's Kidney Pills in my family. My little girl complained of severe pains in the small of her back, and the kidney secretions were dark and full of brickdust sediment. We were very much worried about her and when I learned of Doan's Kidney Pills, I went to R. R. Bellamy's drug store and got a box and gave them to her. Since using them she has improved wonderfully and is a different child. Her kidney secretions cleared up, she does not complain of her back, and in fact Doan's Kidney Pills gave her new life. We are very much pleased with them and you can use my name and welcome."

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Ladies who have thin hair and whose hair is falling out, can prevent the hair falling out, and thicken the growth, with Newbro's "Herpicide." Besides, Herpicide is one of the most agreeable hair dressings there is. Herpicide kills the dandruff germ that eats the hair off at the root. After the germ is destroyed, the root will shoot up, and the hair grow long as ever. Even a sample will convince any lady that Newbro's Herpicide is an indispensable toilet requisite. It contains no oil or grease, it will not stain or dye. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Very Low Summer Excursion Rates to Western North Carolina Resorts

Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.

On sale daily; good till October 31st, with stop-over privilege.

Ashville and return	$14.90
Henderson and return	14.45
Hickory and return	15.70
Hot Springs and return	16.50
Newton and return	10.15
Statesville and return	10.15
Waynesville and return	16.20
Hot Springs and return	16.20
Blowing Rock and return	15.80
Lenoir and return	11.80
Lincolnton and return	8.75
Rutherfordton and return	10.70
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In addition to the Summer Excursion tickets, we will sell week-end tickets to the following resorts at very low rates:

Lincolnton and return	$5.05
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For information apply to your nearest Agent or address,

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A Touching Story

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyler, Cumberland, Md. He writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious Throat Trouble, and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At R. R. Bellamy drug store; 50c and $1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free. **

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2 55 p m	Lv. Philadelphia Lv.		1 45 p m
5 10 p m	Lv. Baltimore Lv.		11 30 a m
6 25 p m	Ar. Washington Lv.		10 10 a m
10 00 p m	Lv. Richmond Lv.		6 35 a m
3 35 a m	Lv. Raleigh Lv.		1 30 a m
5 53 a m	Lv. S'uth'n Pines Lv.		11 20 p m
8 50 a m	Lv. Hamlet Lv.		10 10 p m
12 45 p m	Ar. Wilmington Lv.		3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Norfolk and Portsmouth.

Read Down			Read Up
8 24 p m	Lv.	Norfolk Ar.	8 20 a m
9 00 p m	Lv.	Portsmouth Ar.	8 00 a m
1.53 a m	Lv.	Henderson Lv	2 58 a m
3 25 a m	Lv.	Raleigh Lv.	1 30 a m
7 00 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 30 p m
8 30 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Atlanta and Birmingham.

Read Down			Read Up
7 39 a m	Lv.	Birmingham Ar.	2 35 p m
3 05 p m	Ar.	Atlanta Lv.	8 00 a m
9 00 p m	Lv.	Atlanta Ar.	7 40 a m
11 25 p m	Lv.	Athens Lv.	6 08 a m
1 56 a m	Lv.	Greenwood Lv	3 35 a m
4 06 a m	Lv.	Chester Lv.	1 20 a m
7 10 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 10 p m
8 50 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

Between Wilmington, Savannah, Montgomery, Jacksonville and Tampa.

Read Down			Read Up
8 30 a m	Lv.	Tampa Ar.	6 35 p m
1 53 p m	Lv.	Tallahasse Ar.	3 20 p m
5 24 p m	Ar.	Jacksonville Lv.	10 00 a m
7 50 p m	Lv.	Jacksonville Ar.	8 45 a m
12 10 a m	Lv.	Savannah Lv.	4 35 a m
5 30 a m	Lv.	Columbia Lv.	1 15 a m
6 24 a m	Lv.	Camden Lv.	12 19 a m
8 35 a m	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	10 10 p m
8 50 a m	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p m
12 45 p m	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p m

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.....	3 40 p	Lv.	Rutherf'd'tn Ar.	2 05 p .....
.....	4 50 p	Lv.	Shelby Lv.	12.45 p .....
.....	5 47 p	Ar.	Lincolnt'n Lv.	11 43 a .....
.....	7 23 p	Ar.	Charlotte Lv.	10 08 a .....
.....	5 01 a	Lv.	Charlotte Ar.	10 45 p .....
.....	5 45 a	Lv.	Monroe Lv.	9 55 p .....
.....	7 20 a	Ar.	Hamlet Lv.	7 55 p .....
4 40 p	8 40 a	Lv.	Hamlet Ar.	7 35 p 11 05 a
25 p	9 25 a	Lv.	Maxton Lv.	6 40 p 10 18 a
10 p	10 15 a	Lv.	Lumberton Lv.	5 26 p 9 31 a
55 p	11 03 a	Lv.	Clarkton Lv.	4 40 p 8 42 a
8 50 p	12 45 p	Ar.	Wilmington Lv.	3 00 p 7 00 a

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In Effect June 1, 1905.

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.....	(Daily)	6:00 A. M.
6:30 A. M.	(Daily ex. Sun.)	7:15 A. M.
7:00 A. M.	(Daily)	7:45 A. M.
7:30 A. M.	(Daily ex. Sun.)	8:15 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	(Daily)	8:45 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	"	8:45 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	"	9:15 A. M.
9:00 A. M.	"	9:45 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	"	10:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	"	10:45 A. M.
10:30 A. M.	"	11.15 A. M.
11:00 A. M.	"	11:45 A. M.
11:30 A. M.	"	12:15 P. M.
12:00 M.	"	12:45 P. M.
12:30 P. M.	"	1:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	"	1:45 P. M.
1:30 P. M.	"	2:15 P. M.
2:00 P. M.	"	2:45 P. M.
2:30 P. M.	"	3:15 P. M.
3:00 P. M.	"	3:45 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	"	4:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	"	4:45 P. M.
4:30 P. M.	"	5:15 P. M.
5:00 P. M.	"	5:45 P. M.
5:30 P. M.	"	6:15 P. M.
6:00 P. M.	"	6:45 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	"	7:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	"	7:45 P. M.
7:30 P. M.	"	8:15 P. M.
8:00 P. M.	"	8:45 P. M.
8:30 P. M.	"	9:15 P. M.
9:00 P. M.	"	9:45 P. M.
9:30 P. M.	"	10:15 P. M.
10:00 P. M.	"	10:45 P. M.
10:30 P. M.	"	11:15 P. M.
11:00 P. M.	"	11:45 P. M.
12:15 P. M.	Owl Car "	

A. C. L. & S. A. L. CONNECTIONS.

Trains Arriving Wilmington.		Due at Beach.
A. C. L.	10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.	12:30 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
S. A. L.	12:45 P. M.	1:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	1:40 P. M.	2:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:00 P. M.	7:05 P. M.
A. C. L.	8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
S. A. L.	8:50 P. M.	9:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	11:45 P. M.	12:45 A. M.

Trains Leaving Wilmington.		Leave Beach.
S. A. L.	7:00 A. M.	6:00 A. M.
A. C. L.	8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	2:25 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	3:00 P. M.	1:45 P. M.
A. C. L.	3:45 P. M.	2:45 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:50 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

BAGGAGE.

Arriving.

Arrive in Wilmington.		Arrive at Beach.
A. C. L.	10:00 A. M.	11:05 A. M.
A. C. L.	12:30 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	12:45 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
A. C. L.	1:40 P. M.	4:35 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.
A. C. L.	8:00 P. M.	9:05 P. M.

Leaving.

Leaving Wilmington.		Leave Beach.
A. C. L.	8:50 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	9:00 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
A. C. L.	2:25 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
S. A. L.	3:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
A. C. L.	3:45 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
A. C. L.	6:50 A. M.	5:45 P. M.

Baggage leaving the Beach must be checked at least 15 minutes before leaving time of baggage car.

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4:00 P. M.	2:15 P. M.
8:30 P. M.	5:45 P. M.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv. Wilmington	9 00 a m	6 50 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	12 15 p m	9 32 p m
Ar. Wilson	1 18 p m	10 25 p m
Ar. Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar. Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar. Weldon	4 58 p m	1 47 a m
Ar. Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar. Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar. Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar. Baltimore	1 42 a m	9 09 a m
Ar. Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar. New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv. New York	9 35 a m	9 25 p m
Ar. Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar. Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar. Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar. Norfolk	.....	8 40 a m
Lv. Richmond	7 25 p m	9 05 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8 05 p m	9 46 a m
Ar. Weldon	9 51 p m	11 44 a m
Ar. Rocky Mount	11 00 p m	1 10 p m
Ar. Wilson	11 32 p m	2 05 p m
Ar. Goldsboro	6 58 a m	2 10 p m
Ar. Wilmington	10 00 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily. via Wilson
Lv Wilmington	4 00 am	3 45 pm	6 50 pm
Ar Florence	9 35 am	7 40 pm	3 55 am
Ar Charleston	1 20 pm	11 40 pm	6 50 am
Ar Savannah	6 45 pm	2 50 am	9 05 am
Ar Jacksville	.....	8 40 am	1 45 pm
Ar Tampa	.....	6 55 pm	11 00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	8 40 p m	9 00 a m
Ar. Jacksonville	7 55 a m	7 00 p m
Ar. Savannah	12 55 p m	1 15 a m
Lv. Charleston	4 15 p m	6 15 a m
Ar. Florence	7 35 p m	9 25 a m
Ar. Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily.	East Bound Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar. 3 00 p m
Ar. Fayetteville	12 20 p m	Ar. 4 55 p m
Ar. Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv. 5 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

Daily ex Sun.	N. Bound	South Bound. Daily ex Sun.
Lv. Wilmington	12 25 p m	Ar. 12 30 p m
Ar. Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv. 9 10 a m

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

Tuesday Morning, Aug 15.

ISTHMIAN CANAL AND CONDITIONS THERE

Twenty Thousand Laborers Must Be Provided For—Very Few Cases of Yellow Fever.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, August 14.—The care of 20,000 employes to work upon the Panama canal was declared by Chairman Shonts, of the Panama Canal Commission, who arrived on the steamer Mexico to-day from Colon, to be of first importance and to have precedence over the actual work of digging. Chairman Shonts was accompanied on his return by Colonel Oswald Hernst, also of the canalcommission. Chairman Shonts said:

"We went to Colon with Mr. Stevens, the chief engineer, to see what had been done and what should be done. We found the first thing of importance to be housing and supplying 20,000 men. When our government first took hold of the canal every effort was directed toward making the dirt fly. I think this was a mistake. Time should have been given toward preparing for the task by making arrangements to take care of the employes. It is true also that the laborers were not promptly paid and the that matters were becoming congested on the railway and steamers. The people of the Isthmus are not forehanded and with the large addition to the population caused by the influx of the canal laborers, the supplies for living were exhausted. This caused prices to rise and soon the laboring class found that they could not earn enough to support themselves. To offset this subcommissary stations were established to feed the laborers. I made an arrangement with the President of Panama that until prices became normal on the isthmus to continue this system of supplying the laborers."

Mr. Shonts said that there was in reality no yellow fever scare to speak of the isthumus, and that the total number of cases in Panama during August, up to the time of his sailing, was only thirty.

WARM WIRELETS.

At Cleveland, O., yesterday after three of the regular events of the Cleveland Automobile Club meet, Barney Oldfield appeared in five mile exhibition and broke the track record for five miles, his time being 4.45 3-5.

At Charlotte, N. Y., yesterday in a piping 20-mile blow the Canadian challenger Temeraire, designed by Fife, won the second race for the canada Cup, from the Herreshoff boat Iroquois. The Temeraire finished more than a mile ahead of her adversary.

An Asheville, N. C., dispatch last night says: The condition of Bishop Coke Smith, of the Southern Methodist church, is so much improved tonight that the attending physicians entertain strong hopes of his recovery. The wife and brother of Bishop Smith are now in this city.

Charles McLaurin, a relative of Senator McLaurin, is dead at Fanning, Miss., and Ernest Moss, the postmaster is barely alive as the result of a duel Saturday night. Bad blood existed between the two men over the postmastership of the town. The dual was fought with a Winchester and a revolver. The men fired several times at each other, each being badly wounded in the abdomen.

Congressman John W. Gaines, of the Nashville, Tenn., district, has received assurances from Washington that the Federal Grand jury will investigate the alleged tobacco errors made in the Agricultural Department some days ago. Congressman Gaines requested the President to have the papers in the case turned over to the Federal grand jury, and he received word yesterday that this has been done.

At New York yesterday prints were advanced from 1-4 to 1-2 on all leading makes. More buyers arrived from the West and South and business in the cotton goods section of the market was active. Merchants experienced difficulty in finding adequate supplies of spot domestic. Dress goods, according to agent's reports, were ordered with freedom for Spring, but fall duplicate business was rather disappointing.

CLAIMS AGAINST VENEZUELA.

France Awarded $650.000 for War Claims.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Norfield, Vt., August 14.—Claims aggregating more than $650,000 held by the French government against Venezuela have been allowed by Referee Frank Plumley, of this place, to whom they had been referred for a decision and final adjudication. Mr. Plumley's decision was announced here today to representatives of the two governments, Count Periti de LaRocca and Dr. Jose de J. Paul. The claims were for damages alleged to have been sustained by French citizens conducting mercantile enterprises in Venezuela during the insurrection of 1901. Mr. Plumley's decision is final. Eight cases involving claims of 40,000,000 francs against the government of Venezuela, were submitted to Mr. Plimley. Of the eighth cases, two were dismissed for want of equity and one was disallowed.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American League.

Washington, 2; Cleveland, 3.
New York, 7; Detroit, 1.
First game: Boston, 1; Chicago, 6.
Second game: Boston, 5; Chicago, 3.
Philadelphia, 2; St. Louis, 1.

National League.

St. Louis-New York, no game.
Chicago-Brooklyn, rain.
Cincinnati-Boston, no game.
Pittsburg, 5; Philadedphia, 0.

Southern League.

Birmingham, 1; Atlanta, 2.
Memphis, 2; Shreveport, 4.
New Orleans, 7; Little Rock, 1.
Nashville, 5; Montgomery, 6.

South Atlantic League.

Columbia, 0; Macon, 0.
August, 0; Charleston, 0.
Savannah, 0; Jacksonville, 1.

Virginia-North Carolina League.

Charlotte-Danville, postponed, rain.

PEACE CRISIS IS APPROACHING

Three Articles of Japan's Terms Agreed to By the Russian Plenipotentiaries

TUG OF WAR BEGINS TO-DAY

Clause Ceding Territory Will Be Reached and Most Likely Rejected—No Battle Will Be Fought Pending Negotiations.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 14.—Although very rapid progress was made with the peace negotiations today, three of the twelve articles which constitute the Japanese conditions of peace having been agreed to by Mr. Witte and Baron Rosen on behalf of Russia, neither of the two articles to which Mr. Witte in his reply returned an absolute negative was reached. The crisis, therefore, is still to come. It may be reached tomorrow as the concession of Sakhalin comes fifth in the list.

The three 'articles" as they are officially designated in the brief communications authorized to be given to the press which were disposed of today, are in substance as follows.

"First, Russia's recognition of Japan's 'preponderating influence' and special position in Korea, which Russia henceforth agrees is outside of her sphere of influence, Japan binding herself to recognize the suzerainty of the seigning family, but with the right to give advice and assistance to improve the civil administration of the Empire."

"Second, mutual obligation to evacuate Manchuria, each to surrender all special privileges in that province, mutual obligation to respect the "territorial integrity" of China and to maintain the principle of equal opportunity for the commerce and industry of all nations in that province (open door).

"Third, the cession to China of the Chinese eastern railroad from Harbin southward."

There never was any question about the acceptance on the part of Mr. Witte of those "articles," the first two covering in more emphatic form the intentions of Japan in the diplomatic struggle which preceded hostilities. The third is a natural consequence of the result of war. The cession of the railroad, the building of which cost Russia an immense sum, estimated by some at between $100,000,000 and $200,000,000 is to go to China. Japan and China, therefore will arrange between themselves, the method by which the former is to be remunerated and through this financial operation Japan might have a very considerable portion of her claim for the "expenses of the war" liquidated. The railroad is ostensibly the property of the Russo-Chinese bank, although built by government money advanced through the bank and since its completion operated, managed and policed by the Russian government. Japan cannot take the railroad herself. To place herself in Russia's shoes regarding the railroad would be militarily to control the destinies of the three provinces of Manchuria which she has promised to return to China. But Japan is entitled to reimbursement for the expense to which she has been put in restoring the railroad below the present position of Linevitch's army, re-building the bridges and narrowing the guage. If China could not find the money some other power or powers might do so and the road would become hypothecated to the powers which advanced the money for their construction. It was Mr. Witte himself, who organized the Russo-Chinese bank in 1895 and who has always been considered the real organizer of the Chinese Eastern Company. Mr. Berg, the attorney of the Russo-Chinese bank, which owns practically all, if not all of the shares of the road, is attached to the Russian delegates.

Both sessions of the conference today are described as "amicable." There were several slight jars, but none of them serious.

Tomorrow in the ordinary course of proceedings the first great stumbling block to a treaty of peace should be reached, after Port Arthur and the leases of Liao Tung, which are included in article five and which Mr. Witte is undoubtedly prepared with slight modifications to accept, comes articles 5—the cession of Sakhalin. But it is by no means certain that when this obstacle is reached it will be postponed until all the articles upon which agreement is easy or possible are disposed of. If this course is followed and The Associated Press has high authority for the opinion that it will be, it will indicate a disposition to put off the real struggle to the very last and the longer the conference endures the brighter the prospects of a treaty are likely to become. "Every day they sit," said a very high authority, "increases the chances of peace."

Mr. Sato told the Associated Press correspondent tonight that he had come to Portsmouth hopeful of a successful issue of negotiations and that nothing had occurred to alter his optimism.

The language of the three articles adopted today will form practically the text of the treaty of Washington, if one is signed, subject, of course, to final revision. Each side has agreed to the articles and they are included in the protocols of each day's session which are officially signed by the plenipotentiaries the next morning.

In addition to the minutes kept by each side, there is an abbreviated record of the discussions giving the arguments made on each side of every point, which are daily attested so that when the conference is ended the record of the proceedings will be complete. Of course the agreement article by article does not bind either Russia or Japan until a final agreement is reached and the treaty is signed.

It is however, significant that Mr. Sato, while specifically stating that he did not speak officially, gave it as his opinion that each power had now bound itself to the articles agreed to.

In the discussion of the second article (covering the evacuation of Manchuria), it is positively stated that Russia won a victory. Baron Komura, so it is declared, wanted to limit the obligation to evacuate Manchuria and to surrender special privileges in the province to Russia, whereas Mr. Witte contended that the obligation for evcuation and the surrender of special privileges, should be mutual and that the evacuation of the troops should take place concurrently. Mr. Witte is said to have contended that he was defending not only the interests of Russia but of all the neutral powers. On the other hand, the Japanese claim not only that they did not resist the provision for simultaneous evacuation by the troops of both countries, but the distinct credit for the strong stipulations regarding the preservation of the territorial integrity of China.

At 1 o'clock this morning the statement was made to the Associated Press that while the facts sent earlier regarding the article covering the cession of the Chinese Eastern railroad to China are correct, the third article agreed to yesterday afternoon did not deal with that question.

Practically an Armistice.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 14.—It seems to be taken for granted among the attachees of both the Japanese and Russian missions that there will be no general battle in Manchuria while the peace negotiations are on. Oyama is known to be prepared to strike the moment the negotiations fail and there may be more or less skirmishing and outpost engagements while the troops are getting in position, but it is admtited on each side that if either Oyama or Linevitch should deliberately bring on a general engagement which might cost 50,000 or 100,000 lives, his country would be accused of bad faith in the negotiations here and would inevitably lose prestige in the eyes of the world. In the larger sense, therefore, it can be said that an armistice already exists in Manchuria. Should the negotiations be vainly prolonged and it become evident that they were to be fruitless, the advance of Oyama or Linevitch might be the signal for the final rupture. The unexpected attack on Port Arthur might be repeated below Harbin.

Japan's Terms Absurd.

St. Petersburg, August 14.—The Associated Press is in a position to declare that practically the only hope entertained in high Russian circles and official quarters for a peace agreement at the conference at Portsmouth lies in the expectation that Japan will recede materially from her terms as published. Official and public sentiment regarding the possibilities of peace, outlined to the Associated Press by an official who has constant and close relations with the highest authorities is as follows:

"That the terms are regarded in their entirety as quite impossible of acceptance, and close scrutiny has not removed the very unfavorable impression their first reading has produced here. If they are modified, especially in the matters of indemnity and territorial concessions, peace, it is thought is impossible and the continuance of the negotiations useless. The Japanese terms are regarded in Russia as demands which might be made upon an utterly crushed and powerless enemy, but it is absurd to propose them to a power like Russia, which has half a million men in the field facing the enemy. This army is in god condition and eager for action. It possesses many advantages of position. The more hopeful feeling which is noticeable here can be traced to the conviction that M. Witte who is thoroughly cognizant of the views of the Russian government, would not continue negotiations at Portsmouth unless he had reason to believe that Japan will reduce her demands suciently to render them acceptable to Russia. The Russian envoys went to Portsmouth ready to make reasonable and honorable concessions, and if peace is to result from the negotiations on American soil, Japan also just show an equal spirit of reasonableness and sincerity in her protestations for peace."

The Emperor will give his usual weekly audience to the Ministers of State tomorrow, when the status of the peace negotiations will be discussed. It is possible that soon after the ministers leave Peterhof an official statement regarding the situation will be issued.

The sixteenth army corps will have for the front August 17th.

Official Statement.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 14.—The following official communications were issued:

"In the morning sitting of the 14th of August, article first was disposed of, and the plenipotentiaries proceeded with the discussion of article two. The meeting adjourned at 1 o'clock to be resumed at 3 o'clock."

"In the afternoon meeting of the conference of August 14th, articles two and three were discussed and disposed of and at 6 o'clock the conference adjourned until tomorrow, Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock."

Cranks Writing Letters.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 4.—The peace plenipotentiaries have been fairly deluged with mail from all parts of the United States and now letters are beginning to arrive from the other hemisphere. Thousands of letters reached them each day. Most of them are addressed to the chiefs of the missions, Baron Komura and Mr. Witte. They are of every description—friendly tenders of advice regarding the negotiations, requests for autographs and photographs, words of welcome, words of praise, advertisements and invitations to visit various cities of the United States. Some of them contain elaborate arguments from the partisans of each side in support of the convictions of the writers. Others offer easy solutions of the problems the plenipotentiaries have come here to try to solve, but the majority, so far as the negotiations are concerned, only express the hopes of the world for peace. Numerous are the letters from pastors of churches telling of prayers for peace. Then there are the usual crank letters—some of them threatening in tone. Mr. Witte has received much advice as to what should be done to relieve the internal situation in Russia.

Both plenipotentiaries have received solemn warnings of impending disasters, personal and national, but no threat of a serious nature has been received either by Baron Komura or Mr. Witte. Besides there are secret service agents here who never let the envoys get out of their sight from the time they leave the hotel until they reach the navy yard.

Mr. Witte got a letter yesterday which made him laugh heartily. It was dated from a little town in Indiana, and in it the writer asked this question:

"If you did not come here prepared to pay Japan an indemnity and give her Sakhalin, what did you come for? You knew you would have to do it."

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FEVER RECORD AT NEW ORLEANS

Total Number of Cases 1018 and Death Roll of 166 Since the 13th of July.

SITUATION IS IMPROVING

New Cases Yesterday .55, and .12 Deaths—All of City South of Canal Street Infected—Theatres to Open in September.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

New Orleans, August 4.—The following is the Official report of the yellow fever situation up to 6 P. M. today:

New cases, 55; total to date, 1,018.

Deaths to-day, 12; total deaths to date, 166.

New sub-foci, 8; total sub-foci to date, 210.

Number of cases under treatament, 356.

The figures for the day are considered surprisingly small, considering that 19 of the cases reported to-day really belonged to yesterday's list, having come in after the closing of Sunday's report. Monday has usually been a heavy day for new cases on account of hold-overs from Sunday and if the number of new cases for the next few days continues small, then it can be said that the situation is really improving. Of the new sub-foci, four are up town and four below Canal street. Surgeon White's forces went to work to-day on the reorganized plan, all the fumigating and screening being done from the district headquarters instead of the central headquarters as heretofore.

Surgeon Guiteras returned to-night from Patterson, La., where he has been in charge of the fumigation and screening and organizing the community to fight the infection. He reports the situation there as encouraging, and the people thoroughly alive to the necessity of the work mapped out by him.

Assistant Surgeon Berry is on the road to recovery.

The health officer of Plaquemines parish to-day reported to the State Board of Helath that there were twelve cases of yellow fever at a point four miles of Pointe-A-La-Hatche, in Plaquemines parish.

Included in the deaths of the preceeding twenty-four hours was that of a negro. Very few cases have appeared however, among the negro population. There is a case reported from Spanish Fort, a former summer resort on Lake Pontchartrain, where there now is a large colony of fishermen. It is the first case that has appeared there. No new cases have been reported at Milneburg near Spanish Fort, for two weeks.

With the exception of a few squares, all New Orleans below Canal street is now generally infected with yellow fever. While most havoc has been caused in this portion of New Orleans, where foreigners live, the disease has spread to many places in what is known as the American quarter, above Canal street. Most cases in the American quarter are isolated however. Health officers are still unable to assert whether the high water mark of daily new cases has been reached. About 15 per sent. of all those thus far stricken with fellow fever hav recovered, the deaths being about one in every six persons infected.

The Marine Hospital Service is extending its aid to any outlying place where yellow fever apepars and efforts are daily making to perfect inspection and isolation. The Marine Hospital Service will take general charge of the street and house sanitation.

While yellow fever is not a filthy disease in itself, experience shows that persons who live in unsanitary surroundings are much more likely to die of the disease when they contract it than those who live in better environment.

Prosecution of those who have not paid obedience to the anti-mosquito ordinance is also to be participated in by Federad officers. Sweeping orders have again been issue d to the police prosecute all landlords and agents who fail to screen cisterns. The result of the order was the making of a large number of affidavits by the police to-day. In one uptown ward, the Citizens' Committee swore out eighty affidavits for violations of the screening law, some of them against men of prominence and wealth.

Removal of the fruit trade from New Orleans has thrown many Italians out of work and the Italian societies now daily give three meals to all indigent persons who apply at the charity restaurant in the French quarter.

Oyster men are now in fear that they will be unable to open the fishing season on September 1st, as usual, on account of the quarantine. The Board of Trade declares that grain exports will in no wise suffer on account of the yellow fever.

All six theatres are preparing to open in September. Two theatres have stock companies and probably will have no trouble in opening.

TWO RAILROAD COLLISIONS.

Twelve Killed in Ohio and Two in Georgia.

Cleveland, O., August 14.—A fast eastbound passenger train on the Nickel Plate road collided with a westbound freight early Sunday at Kishman, O., near Vermillion, resulting in the death of 12 persons, while at least 25 others were injured, eight of whom will probably die. The wreck, according to the officials of the company, was caused by a misunderstanding of orders or neglect to obey them on the part of the crew of the freight train. Aside from the engineer, the men killed on the passenger train were all riding in the smoking car at the head of the train, and were mostly foreign laborers in the employ of the Standard Oil Company, on their way from Fort Seneca, O., to Brookfield, O., in charge of a foreman. Engineer C. C. Poole, of the passenger train, was killed at his post, while trying to reach for the air brake, after seeing the headlight of the freight train. His fireman, Haefner, saved himself by jumping.

Macon, Ga., August 14.—In a head-on collision two miles from Macon between a northbound Centrol of Georgia passenger train and a southbound freight at 5 o'clock this afternoon, two were killed and seven injured; three so seriously, that death will probably result. The dead are Joe Henry, Macon, mail clerk, negro, and Joe Henry Macon, fireman passenger train, negro. Although many were badly shaken, none of the passengers were seriously hurt. The wreck was caused by a misunderstanding of orders.

A GOVERNMENT SCANDAL.

Four Well Known Revenue Agents Asked to Resign.

By Wire to the Morning Star.

Washington, August 14.—The Star tonight says:

"There has been a big shake up among the revenue agents of the internal revenue service, but just how far it has gone is a matter of speculation. It is stated, however, that four well known revenue agents have been asked for their resignation, and at least two of the four have come here for a personal conference with Commissioner Yerkes of the internal revenue bureau. These are Captain Charles H. Ingram, in charge of New England work, stationed at Boston, and C. H. Burg, who has a section of the southwest under his charge, and has been located in Texas. The names of the other two agents could not be learned today. Commissioner Yerkes would not discuss the matter. Those in position to know say that Commissioner Yerkes has personally been watching the work of the revenue agents, who are really the secret investigating officers of the revenue bureau, and has concluded that some of them have not been doing their duty in detecting some of the things going on."

ON EVE OF BIG BATTLE.

Chinese Getting Out of Way of Two Armies.

By Cable to The Morning Star.

Godazdani, Manchuria, August 13—(Delayed in transmission).—The Japanese began to advance against the Russians at Yangda Pass and at Zoumoshou in the Oultsgou district at 9:30 this morning. Their forces were not very numerous, there being only two mattalions in each column. The Russian outposts fell back in good order. The Chinese in this vicinity are again significantly leaving for the southward.

The Japanese abvance proved to be only a demonstration. After an exchange of rifle fire between the outposts, the Japanese column retired.

AFFAIRS IN RALEIGH.

The Governor's Itinerary—Plans of State Literary Association.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., August 14.—Governor Glenn goes to Pittsboro to-morrow evening to deliver an address at a reunion of Confederate Veterans. He will go from there to Shelby to deliver an address in connection with the "Home Coming" exercises to be held this week. He will not return to the city until Monday.

Insurance Commissioner Young cancels the license order of the Select Knights to do business in this State on account of the non-payment of claims. He says there are only two claims in this State against them, but the very high mortality of the order, obliged it to wind up its affairs. He would be glad to hear from any parties in this State who have claims against the order.

At a meeting just held by the executive committee of the North Carolina Literary Association, it was decided to make the principal feature of the annual session Tuesday of State fair week the launching of a movement for placing a statue of Zebulon B. Vance in Statuary Hall of the National Capitol at Washington, an appropriation for the purpose to be made by the State Legislature. It will also have speeches and resolutions on enlarging the capitol building so as to have a fire proof State library building.

ENTRY FOR ZEKE'S ISLAND.

Wilmingtonians Lay Claim to Insular Property in Cape Fear.

The title to another piece of island property near the mouth of the Cape Fear river has been called into question by means of an entry filed in this county and in Brunswick this week by Messrs. R. H. Pickett and Roger Moore, of Wilmington, who lay claim to about 20 acres of land known as Zeke's Island, in Federal Point township. The entry of the land in both counties occurred to Messrs. Pickett and Moore from the controversy over Battery Island between Dr. F. B. Ulory, of Chicago, and Maj. W. A. Guthrie, full particulars of which appeared in these columns a few days ago. The land was entered both in Brunswick and in New Hanover in order that there might possibly be no controversy on that score. Zeke's Island, however, is claimed by the Walker estate as a part of Smith's Island and if the entry is protested and the case comes up in the Superior Court, there will be several interesting questions to be passed upon.

Compromise in Bankruptcy.

In the bankruptcy case of J. W. Joyner, surviving partner of the firm of Haralson & Co., of Clarendon, Columbus county, a compromise has been effected by which the creditors receive 33 1-3 per cent. on their claims. The petitioning creditors were Messrs. W. E. Springer & Co. and J. C. Stevenson Company, who were represented in the settlement by C. D. Weeks, Esq. The respondent, Mr. Joyner, was represented by Ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, of Wilmington and Messrs. Lewis & Schulken, of Whiteville.

To Former Congregation.

Rev. F. H. Farrington, of Pittsburg, Pa., formerly pastor of Southside Baptist church in this city, was heard by two large congregation from his former pulpit Sunday morning and night. Rev. Mr. Farrington stopped in Wilmington on his way from Pittsburg to the Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky., and will remain here a week longer preaching at Southside to-morrow night and again next Sabbath. He is greatly beloved by his people here and is being heard with much pleasure and profit.

Mr. A. E. Peschau Bereaved.

Many friends of Mr. Albert E. Peschau in this city will sincerely sympathize with him in the death of his wife, which occurred at their home in Asheville, N. C., Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mrs. E. Pescau, the mother, and Miss Lillie Peschau, a sister of Mr. Peschau, left Saturday to be with him in his trouble. The burial of the deceased young wife took place at Asheville yesterday.

—The annual excursion over the railroads to the mountain and seaside resorts along their lines is scheduled for to-morrow. Low rates to Wrightsville Beach are advertised as far South as Alabama and a large crowd is expected unless the excursions are cancelled by reason of the quarantine laws all through the section through which the trains will come.

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The A. D. T. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Co.; or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, and but a small charge for notes and small packages. For this service call Western Union, 'Phone 2. But for advertisements always call the Star Office, 'Phone 51.

STAR BRANCHES.

For the benefit of those who may find it more convenient, advertisements may be left at the following Branch Offices, where they will receive as prompt and careful attention as it left at the Star Office, and with no additional cost to the advertiser.

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L. B. SASSER'S DRUG STORE—Corner 8th and Market streets. Phone 135.

WM. NIESTLIE, DRUGGIST—S. W. Corner 7th and Red Cross streets. Phone 216.

SOUTH-SIDE DRUG COMPANY—Corner Front and Castle street. Phone 278.

P. O. HALL'S DRUG STORE—S. E. corner 4th and Harnett streets. Phone 66.

FOR SALE—FINE LOT SOUTHWEST corner Third and Church streets, 82 feet on Third and 66 feet on Church. Only lot now for sale in select section of fashionable Third streets. Can make special rates for this month only. We are sole agents. M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street. au15-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—10 HEAD OF Mules, 10 Head of Horses, and assortment of good drivers, saddlers and double teams; 3 extra fine cows, and a few Jersey Red and Berkshire Pigs, S. J. Davis, 208 and 210 Market. au12-3t*

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